

## Ocean Science Professional Development Opportunity for American Samoa Teachers



Photo: Claire Fackler

*Educators learn field monitoring during the Dive into Education workshop in Hawai'i.*

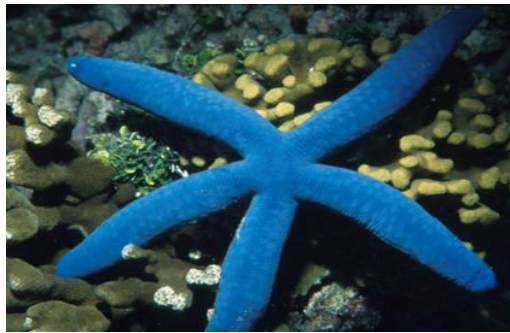


Photo: Kip Evans

*The vibrant marine life of American Samoa needs protection for future generations.*



Photo: NOAA

*Educators leave the workshop with a bag full of educational resources, including posters.*

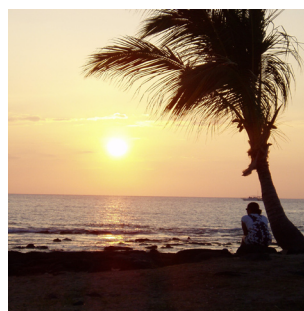
# Dive into Education Ocean Science Workshop

*July 27-28, 2010, at the Lee Auditorium*

The NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries invites educators from American Samoa to bring the ocean into the classroom by participating in this summer's exciting and unique Dive into Education workshop. Set on beautiful Tutuila Island, this one-of-a-kind workshop for American Samoa teachers features presenters from all 14 field sites within the National Marine Sanctuary System. Dive into Education is an intriguing ocean science workshop that provides participants with educational expertise, resources and training to support ocean and climate literacy in the classroom.

Tailored to elementary and secondary school teachers, the workshop offers engaging, innovative sessions including ocean-related topics such as coral reef ecosystems, marine life, satellite oceanography and watershed activities. This unique professional development opportunity for all local teachers has been endorsed by the American Samoa Department of Education.

Register online at <http://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/education> by **June 11, 2010.**



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